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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Manfred ARTINGER  
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MATERIAL TO BE CONVEYED

Examiner : Reena Aurora

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**QUAYLE AMENDMENT**

S I R:

In response to the Quayle Office Action mailed on December 12, 2006, (the two-month response date for which has been extended by two months to April 12, 2007 by the accompanying Transmittal and Petition to Extend) in which the Examiner has stated that the application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters as to the drawings, and that prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11 (453 O.G. 213), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following:

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.